IT SEZs

3864. **SHRI HARISH RAWAT:** Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of IT SEZs that have been set up in the country, the area-wise, State-wise details thereof;

(b) how many of these are meant for the Computers/IT Hardware; and

(c) their export earning during last two years, SEZ-wise details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH): (a) and (b) Since the coming into force of the SEZ Act, 2005, 453 formal approvals have been granted for setting up of Special Economic Zones (SEZs) spread over 22 States and Union Territories (UTs). Out of the 282 formal approvals for IT/ITES/Electronic Hardware/Semiconductor sector, 33 have hardware component and 249 are for IT/ITES. The State-wise break up of these approvals is enclosed as Statement. (*See* below)

(c) Out of the total exports of Rs. 22,839 crore effected in the year 2005-06, Computer Software/ hardwae exports was over Rs. 3631.86. In the year 2006-07 from IT/ITES/Electronic Hardware/ Software units accounted for over Rs. 6600 crore, out of the total physial exports of Rs. 34615 crore.

Statement

State	Formal Approvals in IT/ITES/Electronic Hardware
Andhra Pradesh	47
Chandigarh	2
Chhattisgarh	1
Delhi	2
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1
Goa	2
Gujarat	10
Haryana	29
Karnataka	32
Kerala	7
Madhya Pradesh	11
Maharashtra	47
Orissa	4
Punjab	4
Rajasthan	4
Tamil Nadu	42
Uttar Pradesh	17
Uttaranchal	2
West Bengal	18
GRAND TOTAL:	282